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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

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SUBJECT : Amendment No. 6, Contract No. A-101 with The
Ramo-Woolbridge Corporation - Project [REDACTED]
(AQUATONE).

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for approval of the Director of Central Intelligence. Such recommendation is set forth in Paragraph 6.

2. Contract No. A-101, and Amendments Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 thereunder provide for work on and production of Systems Numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4, and contain training of Commo personnel in the operations and maintenance of System No. 1. Amendment No. 6 provides for additional engineering and production work in System No. 1, additional R&D work on System No. 2, a second training program of Commo personnel in the operations and maintenance of System No. 1 and 2, and the furnishing of support and provisioning equipment in connection with the operations of Systems Numbers 1, 2 and 3.

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3. Contract No. A-101 and Amendments Numbers 1-5 obligate a total of \$1,721,175 of Fiscal Year 1955 funds and \$26,521 of Fiscal Year 1956 funds chargeable to AQUATONE, and \$422,175 of Fiscal Year 1955 Commo funds. This Amendment No. 6 obligates an additional \$1,068,860 of Fiscal Year 1956 AQUATONE funds for Project [REDACTED] 135

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4. By memorandum dated 6 January 1956 from the Director of Central Intelligence to the Comptroller, and in accordance with the provisions of Section 10(b) of Public Law 110, the Director of Central Intelligence has certified that the sum of \$6,000,000 is available for expenditure for Project [REDACTED]. This Amendment Number 6 obligates the sum of \$1,068,860, Project AQUATONE funds from Fiscal Year 1956 funds appropriation symbol 11x2150. The total obligations to date, therefore, for Contract No. A-101, and Amendments 1-6, inclusive are \$2,816,556 from Project [REDACTED] and \$422,175 from Commo funds for System 1-1, or a total obligation of \$3,238,731.

5. Additional Amendments will be forthcoming under Contract No. A-101 for production under System No. 2 of flying equipments and ground base equipments, production of System No. 3, fabrication of prototype of System No. 4, production of System No. 4, training of Commo personnel in the operation of System No. 4 and spare parts, unit essential equipments and associated equipment for System Numbers 2 and 4.

6. Approval of Amendment No. 6 to Contract A-101 and execution thereof on behalf of the Agency by the authorized Project Contracting Officer is recommended.

3/12/56 SIGNED
RICHARD M. BISSELL, JR.
SA/PC/DCI - PROJECT DIRECTOR

CONCURRENCE:

SIGNED 3/9/56
General Counsel

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Controller

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Approval requested in paragraph 6 granted.

3/13/56
Director of Central Intelligence

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